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SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER.

## Insurance.

### YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000.00  
PERMANENT RESERVE.....Tls. 250,000.00  
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 318,235.56

TOTAL CAPITAL and  
ACCUMULATIONS, 31st  
March, 1883.....Tls. 988,235.56

DIRECTORS.  
F. D. HITCH, Esq., Chairman.  
C. LUCAS, Esq., Wm. MEYER, Esq.,  
A. J. M. INVERARITY, Esq., G. H. WHILLER, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.  
Messrs. RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH.  
Messrs. BARING BROTHERS & Co.,  
Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,  
68 and 69, Cornhill, E.C.

POLICIES granted on MARINE RISKS to all  
parts of the World.

Subject to a charge of 12 per cent. for interest  
on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the  
UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually dis-  
tributed among all Contributors of Business (who-  
ever Shareholders or not) in proportion to the  
premiums paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, 25th May, 1883. [53]

## GENERAL NOTICE.

### THE ON-TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000. EQUAL \$333,333.33.  
RESERVE FUND.....\$70,858.27.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.  
LEE SING, Esq.,—LEE YAT LAU, Esq.,  
LO YOK MOON, Esq.,—CHU CHIE NUNG, Esq.,  
MANAGER.—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken at  
CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.  
Hongkong, 1st September, 1882. [670]

### THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
AGENTS of the above Company are  
prepared to grant POLICIES on MARINE RISKS  
to all parts of the world at CURRENT RATES.  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.  
Hongkong, 3rd November, 1883. [827]

## NOTICE.

### THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

(CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.)

The above Company is prepared to accept  
MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on Goods,  
&c. Policies granted to all parts of the world  
payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN,  
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,  
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [106]

### UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF LONDON, (LIMITED).

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A SECOND and FINAL BONUS of Five  
per cent. on Contributions and a DIVI-  
DEND of EIGHTEEN DOLLARS and TWENTY-  
NINE CENTS per SHARE for the year 1882, will  
be Payable on MONDAY, the 22nd instant.  
Warrants may be had on application at the  
Office of the Society on and after that date.  
By Order of the Board,  
DOUGLAS JONES,  
Acting Secretary,  
Hongkong, 22nd October, 1883. [794]

## Notices of Firms.

## NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself in this  
Colony as a SHARE and GENERAL  
BROKER.  
S. A. JOSEPH.  
Hongkong, 12th December, 1883. [924]

## NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself in this  
Colony as a SHARE and GENERAL  
BROKER.  
HECTOR SAMPSON.  
Hongkong, 11th December, 1883. [923]

## NOTICE.

I HAVE this day commenced Business at the  
Port of KUNGHOW as MERCHANT and  
COMMISSION AGENT.  
K. E. BRUCE.  
Kunghow, 20th November, 1883. [921]

## TO BE LET.

"BISNIE VILLA" at Pokhoom, Farnham.  
Apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.  
Hongkong, 7th November, 1883. [917]

## TO LET.

TWO ROOMS at No. 14, YEE WO STREET,  
the Premises. For Particulars, enquire on  
the Premises.  
Hongkong, 7th December, 1883. [914]

## TO LET.

THE PREMISES now occupied by us  
No. 1, Queen's Road Central.  
For further Particulars, apply to Messrs.  
RUSSELL & Co.  
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.  
Hongkong, 1st August, 1883. [67]

## For Sale.

### CHRISTMAS, 1883.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
have received, and have now on view,  
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF  
CHRISTMAS DELICACIES,  
ARTICLES SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS, AND  
FANCY GOODS.

Comprising—  
REAL TURTLE SOUP.  
SALMON CUTLETS.  
KIPPERED SALMON.  
HERRINGS A LA SARDINES.  
SARDINES AU CITRON.  
HERRINGS IN WHITE WINE.  
MACKEREL IN WHITE WINE.  
FRENCH TRUFFLES.  
ASSORTED ENGLISH PATTIES.  
PATE DE FOIE GRAS.  
TRUFFLED CHICKENS IN JELLY.  
FRENCH TINNED LARKS.  
ASSORTED FRENCH PATES.  
ASPARAGUS.  
PETITS POIS.  
CHAMPIGNONS.  
PUDDING & SULTANA RAISINS.  
PEEL FOR MINCEMEAT.  
CHRISTMAS HAMS.  
CHRISTMAS CAKES.  
PLUM PUDDINGS.  
RIPE STILTONS.  
PORT DU SALUT CHEESE.  
GRUYERE CHEESE.  
GORGONZOLA CHEESE.  
DOUBLE GLOSTER CHEESE.  
FRENCH PLUMS.  
FRUITS IN NOVEAU AND BRANDY.  
CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS.  
ELVA'S PLUMS.  
MUSCATEL RAISINS.  
BARCELONA & BRAZIL NUTS.  
BEST FRENCH CONFECTIONERY.  
BONBONS & DRAJES.  
BONBONNIERS FOR XMAS TREES.  
FRENCH CHOCOLATES.  
NEWEST COSQUETS & CRACKERS.  
FRENCH & ENGLISH TOYS.  
MECHANICAL TOYS.  
ELECTRIC TOYS.  
FRENCH & ENGLISH DOLLS.  
OUT-DOOR GAMES.  
XMAS & NEW YEAR CARDS.  
JEWEL CASES.  
FANCY PIPES & CIGAR TUBES.  
FITTED TRAVELLING BAGS.  
WORK BAGS & BASKETS.  
PERFUME CASES.  
NEW EMBOSSED STATUARY.  
AFTERNOON TEA SERVICES.  
TETE-A-TETE SETS.  
CHINA FIGURES & VASES.  
DUPLIX LAMPS IN NEWEST DESIGNS.  
CHILDREN'S ANNUALS.  
PRESENTATION BOOKS.  
CABINET & SCRAP ALBUMS.  
MENU & GUEST CARDS.  
OSLER'S ARTISTIC CHINA & GLASS-  
WARE.

FLOWER BRACKETS & BASKETS.  
PRETTY TEA & COFFEE SETS.  
FLOWER STANDS.  
TABLE DECORATIONS, LATEST DE-  
SIGN & SHADES.  
A HANDSOME DRAWING ROOM FOUN-  
TAIN.  
NEW ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.  
COFFEE & TEA SERVICES.  
SALAD BOWLS & HELPERS.  
EPERGNES.  
FLOWER & FRUIT STANDS.  
NEW CENTRE PIECES.  
DESSERT SETS.  
WACHTER'S ROYAL CHARTER CHAM-  
PAGNE.  
DEUTZ & GELDERMANN'S GOLD LACK  
CHAMPAGNE.  
LEMOINE'S VIN BRUT CHAMPAGNE.  
SPARKLING MOSELE.  
CHOICE BORDEAUX WINES.  
AFTER DINNER PORT.  
BURGUNDIES.  
HOCKS.  
LIQUEUR BRANDIES & WHISKIES.  
LIQUEURS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, 3rd December, 1883. [902]

### XMAS! XMAS! XMAS!

KOCH & Co.,  
Nos. 15 & 17, POTTINGER STREET.  
THE LATEST NOVELTY OUT.

### AUTOMATIC WATER FOUNTAINS.

COME AND SEE, AND SATISFY YOURSELVES.

THE latest invention of the age; suitable for  
Parlour, Drawing Room or Conservatory.  
No Smell! No Smoke! No Danger! These  
WATER FOUNTAINS are the result of a long  
series of scientific experiments only just arrived  
at the acme of perfection. The motor power  
consists of a miniature engine propelled by hot  
air generated by a spirit lamp. The force of the  
engine is sufficient to raise a jet of water several  
feet in the air, being regulated, as far as ten feet,  
by the raising or lowering of the flame of the  
lamp. It takes but a few minutes to set the  
machine in motion. No special attention re-  
quired, save to trim the lamp once in 24 hours.  
The Fountains are of tasteful design, and are  
arranged for the reception of aquatic plants, or  
an aquarium, to suit the pleasure of the possessor,  
and are made as strong and durable as iron,  
glass, and wood can make them. Will last a  
lifetime and cannot get out of order. Call and  
Satisfy Yourself.

KOCH & Co.,  
Nos. 15 & 17, Pottinger Street.  
Hongkong, 11th December, 1883. [923]

### FOR SALE.

GOOD BORDEAUX CLARET.....\$3.50  
WOLF SCHEDAM SCHNAPPS.....\$6.00  
In Cases of 12 Bottles at.....

Some PRIME HOLLAND Jenever in  
Stone Bottles, and some POMERANZEN  
BITTERS.

Double Barreled Breech Loading GUNS,  
RIFLES, REVOLVERS, CARTRIDGES and  
SHOT, &c., &c., &c.  
Very Fresh ITALIAN CONDENSED MILK  
In Cases of 4 Dozens, at \$6.50 per Case.

J. F. SCHEFFER,  
21 and 23, Pottinger Street.  
Hongkong, 16th November, 1883. [164]

## Intim.

XMAS!!  
ROSS  
ARE  
FANCY

## KELLY & WALSH.

ARE NOW SHEWING THEIR NEW SEASON'S GOODS, SUITABLE FOR

### CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

TARANTULA Spirit Sets in Oak and Walnut,  
Nickel Mounted and Cut Glass Bottles.  
Tarantula Perfume Sets in Nickel and Gold,  
and Mexican Onyx and Glass.  
Plush and Walnut Glove and Handkerchief  
Boxes.  
Very Handsome Worley Writing Cabinets,  
completely fitted.  
Vienna Work Baskets and Card Receivers, Satin  
lined and embroidered.  
Powerful Mahogany Graphoscopes.  
Combination Anemoids and Time Pieces.

### CHILDREN'S BOOKS.

ALL THE NEW BOOKS OF THE SEASON, INCLUDING,  
Boy's Own Annual.  
Girl's Own Annual.  
Every Boy's Annual.  
Every Girl's Annual.  
Little Wide awake.  
Little Folks.  
Chatterbox.  
Children's Friend.  
Infant's Magazine.  
Union Jack.

BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED JUVENILE BOOKS.  
Little Ann, Illustrated by Kate Greenaway.  
From Do Nothing Hall to Happy Day Home,  
Illustrated by Miles.  
A Small Selection of Magnificently bound Books for Presentation.  
Beautifully Bound Church Services, Prayer Book, Hymn Books, &c.

KELLY & WALSH—HONGKONG.  
Hongkong, 11th December, 1883. [560]

## W. B. BREWER.

IS NOW SHEWING.

A VERY Elegant Assortment of FANCY GOODS consisting of the NEW VIENNA  
WICKER WORK GOODS beautifully trimmed and fitted, comprising,  
Large Useful WORKBASKETS in entirely new shapes, lined and fitted.  
WALL POCKETS & HANDBASKETS trimmed with Chinese Gold Lace & Velvet.  
A New Stock of LADIES HAND BAGS in Plush, Satin, Russia and Morocco Leathers.  
The NEW BRASS WARE in a number of useful Articles, Inkstands, Card Trays, Watch  
Stands, Smokers Sets, Photograph Frames, &c., &c.  
PLUSH GOODS.—New Designs in Writing Cases, Ladies Companions, fitted, Blotting Books,  
Photograph Cases, Large Promenade Photo Frames, &c.  
WOOD GOODS.—Oak Writing Desks, Walnut Writing Desks, Workboxes and Inkstands.  
LEATHER GOODS.—Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Pocket Books, Letter and Card Cases,  
Purses, Photo Albums, Writing Cases, Ball Programmes, Indicators, Dressing Cases.

### CHRISTMAS CARDS!

A VERY FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED.  
LETT'S DIARIES! RUDDY OLD BLOCK! NEW MECHANICAL TOYS!  
W. B. BREWER,  
QUEEN'S ROAD. [784]

## SAYLE & CO.

### FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

WE have just received and are now showing the following NEW GOODS,  
NEW DESIGNS IN BRUSSELS CARPETS with BORDERS & RUGS to Match.  
A large and choice assortment of AXMINSTER and SKIN HEARTH RUGS.  
EIDER-DOWN PILLOWS and PILLOWS.  
TRAVELLING RUGS in great variety.  
A large stock of BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS.  
Ebon and Walnut COALVASES.  
Large and Double PERAMBULATORS.  
The New "PATENT AIR LAMPS."  
AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD FURNITURE.  
FLOORCLOTHS for Halls, Rooms, and Passages.  
GOOD MATINGS, all widths.  
POUR MATS, &c., &c., &c.

SAYLE & CO.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.  
Hongkong, 5th December, 1883. [780]

### UNDER the heady "Exhibitors to the Cork Exhibition, Ireland," THE CORK

CONSTITUTION, No. 12,025, dated Saturday, July 14th, 1883, says:

### MESSRS. TURNBULL JUNR. & SOMERVILLE.

"Valencia, Malabarbit in a tastefully arranged case, samples of their famous 'Kaiser'  
Hind Cigarettes, a mass of a revolution in the habit of smoking is now setting  
in, this exhibit alone prove attractive to all lovers of the fragrant weed. Instead of  
strong Tobacco, on used in too strong pipes and full flavoured Cigars, the mild  
Cigarette is rapidly coming into vogue. These new on view in the Exhibition are highly  
spoken of by the Pot vendors and smokers."

SOLE AGENCY  
MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD.  
Hongkong, 26th December, 1883. [731]

## "NOVELTY STORE."

## Amusements.

### GARRISON THEATRE, HONGKONG.

### MONDAY EVENING, THE 17TH DECEMBER, 1883.

### GRAND CONCERT

BY  
THE DUTCH VIOLINIST  
ROBERT WILLIAM TWISS,  
WITH KIND ASSISTANCE OF  
MR. M. WILLIAMS,  
(PIANIST),  
AND  
SEVERAL AMATEURS.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:  
Reserved Seats.....\$1.00  
General Entrance.....30

Full Particulars will be found in Programme  
issued later on.

Tickets can be obtained at the TEMPERANCE  
HALL, and at the door on the night of Perform-  
ance.

Hongkong, 14th December, 1883. [932]

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION

OF  
OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS, BRONZES,  
JADES, &c., &c.

THE Undersigned will offer for Sale by  
Public Auction, on  
FRIDAY,  
the 21st December, 1883, the Sale commencing  
at 10.30 A.M., pausing at NOON, and resuming  
at 2 P.M.

EVERY FINE AND EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF  
OLD CHINA WARE, CURIOS, &c.  
The same having just arrived in this Colony  
from the North of China, being a very care-  
ful and valuable collection made in Pekin  
and the Northern Provinces of China, and  
comprising—

OLD MING LACQUER, OLD PORCE-  
LAINS from the MING DYNASTY, the  
reigns of the Emperors KANG-HI, YUNG-  
CHUEN and K'EN-LUNG in FIVE-  
COLOURED AND BLUE and WHITE VASES,  
JARS, DISHES, PLATES, BOWLS, PURE  
BLACK KANG-HI and BLACK and GOLD  
K'EN-LUNG VASES, SANG DE BEUF and  
FRAMBOISE PORCELAINS.

OLD BRONZES, BAMBOO CARVINGS,  
and a quantity of very fine JADE, OLD PEKIN  
ENAMELS (CLOISONNE) CURIOS, &c.  
And some good specimens of PORCELAINS  
of more modern manufacture.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale,  
and the above will be on view on THURSDAY,  
the 20th instant.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.  
G. R. LAMBERT,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, 8th December, 1883. [915]

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, (LIMITED).

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIRST CALL of \$50, payable in respect  
of the NEW SHARES on the 30th Septem-  
ber, 1883, in accordance with the 2nd Special  
Resolution passed at the General Meeting of 5th  
May, 1883, MUST BE PAID into the HONG-  
KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
on or before the 1st instant, failing which the  
Shares will be dealt with as provided for by  
Clause 3 of the above named Resolutions.

By Order of the Directors,  
LOUIS HAUSCHILD,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 13th December, 1883. [928]

### MRS. P. SMITH'S "PRIVATE" TIPPIN' ROOMS.

Nos. 8 AND 9, BEACONSFIELD ARCADE.  
ARRANGEMENTS for BOARD and  
LODGING can be made by applying on  
the Premises.  
Hongkong, 6th December, 1883. [910]

### ROYAL YORK HOTEL, OLD SWINE, BRIGHTON, ENGLAND.

THE above HOTEL is centrally situated,  
with Suitable Rooms and ample accom-  
modation for travellers, especially those coming  
from Eastern Climates. FAMILIES and GENTLE-  
MEN will find every comfort they can wish for at  
the above establishment.

A. HOADLY,  
Proprietor.  
[503]

### "CLARIDGE'S" HOTEL, BROOK STREET, LONDON, W.

THE above is a Commodious and Suitable  
HOTEL for FAMILIES and GENTLEMEN  
going home from the Far East. It is under the  
direct able Management of Mr. and Mrs.  
GEORGE PRAGNELL, who spare no pains in  
providing their visitors with every possible  
comfort.

### INTIMATION!

SIGNOR ANTONIO CATTANEO, of the  
CONSERVATOIRE DE BERGAMO, and late  
of the ROYAL ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY, has  
the honor to inform the community that he has  
arrived to remain in Hongkong, and will give  
lessons in Music, Singing and the Piano-forte.

CHARGES STRICTLY MODERATE.  
Address—Messrs. KELLY & WALSH,  
Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, 1st March, 1883. [1068]

### PRIVATE BOARD AND LODGING

Persons who can be obtained for  
SINGLE GENTLEMEN OR MARRIED COUPLES  
at No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST,  
Next Door to the Temperance Hall.  
Terms Moderate.  
Hongkong, 10th July, 1883. [553]

## Shipping.

### STEAMERS.

### FOR HOIHOW AND PAKHOI. THE Steamship "PING-ON."

Captain McCaslin, will be despatched for the  
above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 16th instant,  
at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Hongkong, 14th December, 1883. [930]

### THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.  
THE Company's Steamship  
"DIAMANTE,"  
Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above  
Ports, on MONDAY, the 17th instant, at FIVE  
P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, 14th December, 1883. [929]

## UNION LINE.

### FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship "VENICE."

Captain "Annie," will be despatched for the  
above Ports, on or about SATURDAY, the  
22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Hongkong, 12th December, 1883. [926]

### SAILING VESSELS.

### FOR VICTORIA B.C. THE A. I. British Bark

"ALICE MARY,"  
Davis, Master, will load here for the above  
Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Hongkong, 11th December, 1883. [931]

### FOR NEW YORK THE 3/3 L. I. American Ship

"ONEIDA,"  
Carver, Master, will load here for the above  
Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Hongkong, 11th December, 1883. [925]

## Mails.

### U. S. MAIL LINE.

### PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER- LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

### THE U. S. Mail Steamship

"CITY OF PEKING,"  
will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yoko-  
hama, with the option of calling at Honolulu,  
on MONDAY, the 31st inst., at THREE P.M.,  
taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the  
United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-  
portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports,  
to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Inland  
Cities of the United States, via Overland Rail-  
ways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and  
to ports in Mexico, Central and South America,  
by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England,  
France, and Germany by all transatlantic lines  
of Steamers.

RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who  
have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Fran-  
cisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within  
six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per  
cent. on Return Fare. If re-embarking within  
one year, an allowance of 10 per cent. will be  
made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return  
Passage Orders, available for one year, will be  
issued at a Discount of 25 per cent. from Return  
Fare. These Allowances do not apply to through  
fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.  
on the 30th December. Parcel Packages will  
be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day.  
All Parcel Packages should be marked to ad-  
dress in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland  
Cargo should be sent to the Company's Office in  
Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collectors  
of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and  
Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company,  
No. 50 A, Queen's Road Central.

F. E. FOSTER,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, 6th December, 1883.

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.  
H. MUMFORD & Co. CHAMPAGNE  
QUARTZ.....\$22 per Case  
PILNITS.....\$25 per Case  
Apply to  
MELCHERS & Co.  
Hongkong, 2nd March, 1882. [91]

### J. AND E. TENNENT'S ALE AND PORTER.

DAVID CORSAI & SONS,  
MERCHANT NAVY,  
NAVY BUILD,  
LONG FLAX  
CROWN  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.  
Hongkong, 15th June, 1883. [109]

### WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER.

22, PRAYA CENTRAL.  
COMMON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS,  
MANHROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM,  
LIFE BUOY CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.  
Hongkong, 6th December, 1883. [100]